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BUSY TRUSTEES.

CONSIDERABLE IMPORTANT BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

Liquor Licenses Refused and Granted—Resolutions in favor of Lighting U. C. Grounds.

Board of Trustees.

The members of the Board of Trustees were called to order at 8 o'clock.

The minutes were read and approved.

The Committee on Finance reported the following bills as approved by them. Warrants were ordered drawn for the several amounts.

GENERAL FUND.

Niehaus Bros	$ 2 00
Geo. C. Pape	6 00
J. McCarthy	31 50
M. Kuhlken	3 00
James Heafey	8 00
J. Mulligan	8 50
Sunset Tel. Co	75
J. J. Carney	3 00
Jno. O'Niel	12 00
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co	325 00
J. R. Little	7 50
People's Express	2 50
J. Gardner	1 50
Posen Fire Co	5 00
Bauman & Will	3 00
Gutha Percha Rubber Co	125 00
A. Carlisle & Co	32 80
C. H. Spear	1 00
H. N. Marquand	14 25
C. L. Crisman	499 00
E. H. Henderson	110 00
Niehaus Bros. & Co	8 00
Pacific Lumber Co	13 10
Robt. Steedman	35 00
Cal. Electric Works	29 90
Columbia Engine Co	5 00
Saml. M. Coey	40 00

ROAD FUND.

H. D. Irwin	$ 6 00
H. W. Taylor	16 00
Jno. Jones	3 50
Robt. Kirby	14 00
Lewis Koch	21 00
J. J. Carney	17 00
N. Clark & Sons	25 00
J. Mulligan	8 00
Henry Yesberg	9 00
James Heafey	8 00
M. M. Shaw	5 55
M. Kuhlken	15 00
Studebaker Bros. Manuf'g Co	36 00
John Conley	13 50
Henry Maloon	35 00
John Vasey	6 00
A. Peterson	15 00
F. A. Wass	9 00

A report was also made by this Committee stating that there was no bond from the electric light company on file. On motion of Trustee Martin the company was ordered to file a bond of $6000 at the next meeting of the Board. The Committee on Streets and Highways submitted the following report:

Gentlemen: The petition of Eugene Mercier for 6-foot cement sidewalk on the easterly line of Shattuck avenue, between the northerly line of Cedar street and the southerly line of Vine street, we think a necessity. (Adopted.)

The petition of Messrs. Thompson and Marshall for a 4-foot sidewalk on north side of Parker street, between Milvia and Shattuck avenue, we recommend.

The petition to lay a 4-foot sidewalk on the east side of Fourth street, between Channing way and north line of Haft tract, we approve.

The petition of Margaret Leonard to lay a 4 foot sidewalk on north side of Stewart street, between Ellsworth street and Telegraph avenue in front of her property by private contract, we recommend.

Your committee recommends a 6 foot cement sidewalk on the west side of Shattuck avenue, between College way and Berkeley way, in answer to petition.

G. G. DURRELL,
J. W. GAGE,
Committee.

The Committee on Licenses submitted a report as follows:

Gentlemen:—Your Committee on Licenses beg leave to report as follows: In the application of Thos. Clark for a saloon license we find that he has complied with the requirements of the law, as far as the signers are concerned, but we also find that the place is conducted in a manner which we cannot conscientiously approve, we therefore recommend that the license be not granted. (Adopted.)

In the case of John J. Higgins judging from his past infractions of the law, your committee is of the opinion that he is not a fit person to grant a license, we recommend that his application be denied. (Adopted.)

On the application of John Menoleen to be allowed to maintain a peanut stand at the S. E. corner of Shattuck Avenue and Center street, and of Chas. L. Taber and the Berkeley GAZETTE to maintain street signes' your committee recommend that permission be granted in each instance, subject to the supervision of the superintendent of streets.

On the application to maintain a boot black stand on the sidewalk of the N. W. corner of Shattuck Avenue and Center streets, your committee do not think it advisable to establish a precedent by granting this. The sidewalk at this point is very narrow in proportion to the travel as the Grove street cars all stop here; there being also considerable travel to and from the trains. Your Committee does not think that the interest of one should be subserved to the determent of the public and therefore recommend that the request be denied.

The recommendations of the committee allowing John Menoless to maintain a peanut stand on Center street, west of Shattuck; C. L. Taber to have a triangular stand in front of the confectionary store on Shattuck avenue, near Center street, and the GAZETTE to maintain a similar sign board in front of its office on Stanford Place were adopted by the Board.

An application for a bootblack stand on Center street, west of Shattuck avenue, created some discussion. Trustee Martin argued so well that the Board concluded not to follow the advice of the committee and allowed the permit to be granted. (Later on this action was reconsidered.—REP.)

The report of the Committee on Licenses, in relation to the application of Thomas Clark, was averse to granting the license for reasons given in the report. The committee's report was approved.

A license to John J. Higgins was refused for reasons given in the report of the committee.

The Fire and Water Committee reported as follows: In favor of granting the petition of Posen Engine Company for chemicals for the engine. The Superintendent of Streets was given authority to make the purchase.

The Electric Light Committee submitted the following as its report:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee on Lights beg leave to report as follows:

On the petition of residents on University avenue to have the lamp at the corner of University and Shattuck avenues adjusted so as to allow the light on the sidewalk, we recommend that the lamp be placed in the center of the intersection of University and Shattuck avenues, and that this lamp, as well as all others which are or will be placed in the center of any street, be suspended from poles at least forty feet high and that the Superintendent of Streets be instructed to carry out this recommendation.

We also recommend that the lamp on the corner of Haste and Fremont streets be placed in the center of the intersection of the last named street by the Superintendent of streets.

JNO. MARTIN,
C. HOFF.

A verbal report was given to the effect that a 65 arc-light machine was being used temporarily until one of larger capacity should arrive. The lights were burning better of late, and that the bill of the Electric Light Company would be acted upon at the next regular meeting of the Board.

President Richards presented a report on the status of the Town Hall for office purposes, and recommended that it be allowed as per plans already adopted.

The bids for the necessary work on the Town Hall were then taken up for consideration. A request was made that Mr. Corbett's bid be withdrawn and the Board allowed it to be done.

President Richards then made a report to the Board.

The action of the Board has been anticipated and leads up to the real solution of the question. The brilliant lighting of the University grounds means very much to Berkeley. For years, at stated intervals, the people would suddenly awaken to the fact that Berkeley needs a public breathing place—a park that would be becoming to the beautiful surroundings. But when we stopped to reflect where could such a spot of land be obtained or where would money come from even to maintain it properly, the realization of such a hope seemed utterly impossible.

Now the situation has changed The prospect for a greater Berkeley seems close at hand. Experienced engineers and the Superintendent of Golden Gate Park have volunteered their services, and have promised that the University grounds will soon be a twin sister to the Golden Gate Park. If these beautiful grounds could be brilliantly lighted what more could be desired to add to the attractiveness of Berkeley. With well paved streets, well cared for, with an abundant water service throughout Berkeley, with an ample lighting system for all parts of Berkeley, with University grounds so beautiful as to be second only to Golden Gate Park, with a municipal government honestly, economically and efficiently administered, the greater Berkeley will be at our doors.

It will require $1000 to equip the University grounds with poles and wires for electric lighting. As the town of Berkeley is prohibited from spending any money for this purpose, and as the Regents manifest such a disposition to work together with the citizens of Berkeley for common good, it seems fitting that this sum of $1000 should be raised at once by popular subscriptions. I am authorized by one of our citizens, Mr. Frank M. Wilson, to say that he will subscribe $500 towards the fund provided the citizens will subscribe the remaining $500.

J. RICHARDS.

Gentlemen. A disposition is being manifested on the part of the Regents of the University to beautify their grounds. The contemplated improvements if carried out will mark an era in the development of Berkeley. It is proper, therefore, that so far as we can the Board should sustain and co-operate with the Regents in all their efforts in lines of progress. If a handsome entrance is created at the head of Center street, it should become our duty at once to see that all unsightly obstructions be removed from that street, that broad, well kept walks would attract the attention of the many visitors to our great University. The most cordial and friendly relations should be established between the authorities of the University and of the municipality.

It has been brought to our attention during the past week that efforts are being made to light up the University grounds with about thirty arc lights, but at the very outset the Regents are confronted with a depleted treasury. It has been suggested that as this improvement means so much for the benefit of Berkeley in general, that this Board would feel disposed to assist financially in erecting the poles and wires, provided that lights thereon would be permanently maintained by the University authorities.

Your chairman simply throws out the suggestion in order that the Board may consider it and take such action as may be deemed proper. Respectfully,

J. RICHARDS.

On motion of Trustee Martin Town Attorney Hayne was instructed to draw up an ordinance to prevent streets being obstructed by people gathering on the sidewalk. He said that in his section of the town congregations of people assembled in front of the saloons and barber shops, becoming a nuisance.

Trustee W. Carey Jones at this time submitted the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved—That the Board of Trustees have heard with the liveliest satisfaction and pleasure of the projected improvement and embellishment of the University grounds.

Resolved—That the Board of Trustees express to the Board of Regents of the University their readiness and desire to co-operate most cordially in all enterprises they have in view to the advancement of the common interest of the town of Berkeley and of the University.

Resolved—That the Board of Trustees are highly gratified to hear of the generous and public spirited offer of Mr. Frank M. Wilson and express the hope that the citizens will speedily come forward with sufficient subscriptions to give this visible testimonial of the interest and good will which the people feel in our great educational institution and the advancement of its matchless site.

In relation to the finances Trustee Martin thought some one should take charge of raising the $500. He said he would contribute $10 toward the amount. It was finally left with President Richards to look after the matter.

The time set for hearing the protest on the Haste street opening having arrived, T. F. Graber and Judge Severance appeared for the different parties and argued the case to some extent.

It was finally left for the contestants to bring an agreement at the next regular meeting when it is probable that if the parties intesested pay all costs of proceedings to date the Board will dismiss the matter. The report on the opening was referred to Town Attorney Hayne for law points.

The protest against the assessment on Alcatraz avenue by Geo. E. Bates was called up and Mr. Borier appeared as attorney for Mr. Bates. It finally was referred to Attorney Hayne to draw an ordinance concerning the matter.

The bids for alterations on the Town Hall were then opened, Mr. Corbett's bid having been withdrawn. The bids were as follows:

Steedman & Halsey, $734; Cornwall & Heywood, $544; Wm. F. Holtz, $548; L. Smith, $715; Kidder & Cooper, $769; E. C. Worden, $685; C. L. Crisman, $610; Underwood & Lavelle, $597. On report of the Town Engineer the contract was awarded to Olliver Cornwall who will have to file a bond for $500 for faithful completion of the work.

A communication was received from the Library Trustees to the effect that there was not money enough to carry on all branches of the Library. Trustee Martin could not understand why that, when the Library Trustees asked for $2400 on the tax levy and $3200 had been given, there was not money enough to get along with. Trustee Irwin endeavored to explain. The communication asked for an appropriation to help the matter along. President Richards said that as the time was only nine months for the Library Trustees to use up the $3200, that the institution had better keep on until the funds gave out, and then come to the Board for help.

The application of Mundy for a saloon license on Delaware street, near Third, was now called up. A protest was presented by about 20 persons against granting it. Trustee Hoff said he did not particularly like saloons, but he wanted all men to be treated alike. The applicant had complied with the law. Objections had been made to a swinging door, but that had been done away with, and that objection falls to the ground. No reasons are given in the protest. "I do not think this is the proper way to do away with saloons. It should be done in the slow way of education."

Rev. Hunter of West Berkeley stated that the protest was in fact pointless, but he would state reasons. There is a growing sentiment in West Berkely against saloons. Property owners think that saloons hurt property. Family people do not like to live near saloons. I am not personally acquainted with any of the parties. The protest is really against the location. Everybody has to pass the saloon to go to the railroad station without they make a detour of some distance. I have been spoken to by men at the saloon while passing by but I do not care for that. I think if it were located somewhere out of the way there would not be so much objection. It is not supposed that a saloon is kept there now as a license has not been granted for one.

Trustee Hoff said there was a question of constitutional right which the board could not go against. The outcome of the matter is the license was not allowed.

The two ordinances which were passed to print at the last meeting of the Board were placed on their final passage and adopted.

A communication was received from Mr. Jurgens in relation to the Burnett street matter. This business was ended by the street superintendent being authorized to put the turnouts on Burnette street where they belong and the petition of Mr. Jurgens being denied. For all of which Mr. Jurgens may consider himself indebted to Trustee Martin.

The application of John Casey for a liquor license was read and referred to the Finance Committee who reported the bond correct. A protest against issuing it was filed.

A majority of property owners on Cedar street, from Oxford to the Thomas property, petitioned for the grading and macadamizing of that street. A Resolution of Intention was ordered to be drawn covering the point.

Bids were called for on the Eighth street sewer. They were as follows: M. Heafey for six-inch pipe, 44 cents; for lampholes $4; for Y branches 30 cents. The bid of N. S. Douglass was for 6-inch pipe 40 cents; for lampholes $5; for Y branches 40 cents. Contract awarded to Douglass.

Ordinances for printing was called up and it was voted to have a meeting of the Committee of the Whole on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, December 27, 1895 at the rooms of the public library for considering all of the ordinances as reported by the Town Attorney.

Permission was given to lay 30 feet in length of sidewalk 4 feet wide on Piedmont way, at the town's expense.

Another piece of street work was ordered to be done by the town. The work to be done is on Alcatraz avenue near Adeline street. The water cannot get away freely and the waterway is to be arranged so it can.

The Board allowed $150 to Attorney Hayne for the labor of codifying the ordinances.

President Richards stated that he had voted for the permit to the bootblack stand under a misapprehension. Town Marshal Lloyd made an explanation of the petition which had been presented in favor of the bootblack. He said it was got up through the influence of the liquor sellers to get even with him for arrests made. The Trustees were satisfied with the officer's explanation and unanimously voted to stand by the officers. The permit was rescinded and the report of the Committee not to allow the permit was adopted.

An ordinance was ordered for the meetings of the Board during the year 1896. On the 13th of January a meeting will be held and thereafter every two weeks on Monday evenings, to commence at 7:45 o'clock p. m. The ordinance passed to print.

A petition was received from the residents of the first ward asking that Thos. Brotherton be appointed a special watchman without pay. The petition was granted.

Trustee Martin asked the members of the Board to think over the matter of the salaries of town officers. The idea is that they are too small now.

The amounts to be allowed for the branch libraries is for room rent $15 to each place, and $25 salary for the person who takes care of them.

A letter was received from Mr. Alkali in relation to the protest he had filed. He was informed that the time had not expired, and when it did all protests would be heard at the same time.

The Commissioners report on Woolsey street was received, placed on file and the Clerk instructed to issue the usual notices. Deeds were received from Messrs. Harmon and Dixon and ordered to be placed on record.

A majority protest was received against work on Vine street and Dwight way. This was caused by an attempt that was made to make property owners pay a second time for the relaying of gutters, which had already been accepted from the contractors. The trouble on Vine street appeared to be that in some places a five-foot cement sidewalk had been laid. The order of the Board was for a six-foot cement sidewalk. This would cause the tearing up of new cement sidewalks and lay anew to conform with the work ordered.

Trustee Gage remedied this by introducing a Resolution of Intention for a five-foot cement walk from Walnut to Arch on the north side of Vine, except where now laid.

The Dwight way case was refered to Town Attorney Hayne for legal advice. A resolution was adopted rescinding all work on Vine street and Dwight way.

It was ordered to hear the protest against the sewer on 10th street and Allston way, at next regular meeting of the Board at 9 o'clock p. m.

In the way of street work which was refered to the street Committee were the opening of 6th street to the boundary line, cement walk on Francisco street by private contract, sewer to connect house with Strawberry creek, for sewer on Shattuck avenue, cement walk on Bancroft way, wood walk on Alcatraz avenue and Sacramento. A petition for 500 feet of hose for Lorin, was to the Fire and Water Committee. Resolutions of intention were ordered prepared for street work.

Resolution was adopted for artifical stone side walks class B, and for establishing grade of sewer on Allston way.

D. Lambert was granted an extension of 30 days on his contract for macadamizing Alcatraz avenue.

Contracts were awarded to Oakland Paving Company, J. M. Creed, N. S. Douglas and John Corbett for street work.

Upon motion the petition of D. A. Landregan for a license to sell liquor was granted. On motion adjourned.

Only three days before Christmas, with all of its good cheer, will be here, and 1895 will be preparing to disappear, in order to make room for 1896.

The report of the Board of Trustees takes up a great deal of space today and crowds out other interesting locals.

Church Notes.

Trinity Methodist Church, Rev. R. Bentley D.D. Pastor. At 11 a. m. Rev. Bishop Goodsell, L.L.D. of San Francisco will preach and at 7:30, the pastor. Sunday School at 12:30 p. m.; Bible classes at 12:30 p. m.; Junior League at 5:15; Epworth Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m. Music specially selected for Christmas: Glory to God in the Highest, Danks; Quartette, Hark the Sound, Bram. Evening—Choir, One Sweetly Solemn Thought, Ambrose; Male Quartette, Nearer my God to Thee. Seats free to all. Strangers and neighbors welcome.

Services in the Methodist Church tomorrow morning and evening. Mr John B. Turner will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. the pastor, Henry Pearce, and at 6:30 p. m. the Young People's Meeting. All are invited to attend.

West Berkeley Presbyterian Church Rev. James Hunter, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young Peoples' Meeting at 6:30 p. m. All are invited to attend services at this church.

Christian Praise Service.

A Christmas Praise service will be held in the West Berkeley Presbyterian Church, Sunday, Dec. 22nd at 7:45 p. m. Following is the order of service:

Prelude.
Anthem: Glory to God in the Highest. Choir.
Invocation.
Duet and Chorus: Bright Angeles on the Wing.
Scripture Reading.
Hymn.
Prayer.
Anthem: Hark the Herald Angels Sing.
Offertory. Instrumental trio and solo by Miss L. McKee.
Address.
Anthem: Praise the Lord in Songs of Joy.
Benediction.

GAZETTELETS.

The public schools closed yesterday for a two weeks' vacation, much to the delight of both teachers and scholars.

The children of the Golden Gate public school had a Christmas tree yesterday and closing exercises.

Miss Hattie Curtis left last evening for her home in San Bernardino, where she will spend the holidays with her parents.

There will be fine music in all of the churches of Berkeley tomorrow forencon, and in the evening all of the churches will have a concert where Christmas carols and refrains will be sung.

Rain has been falling at intervals throughout the entire day and those who did not have business outside remained in doors, where they could enjoy a good, warm fire.

Hundreds of people will visit Oakland and San Francisco this evening to get a glimpse of the holiday presents in the store windows and to walk through the markets.

The pupils of Miss Shaw's class at the Kellogg primary school had a gala time yesterday afternoon, when they took luncheon with their teacher. It is wonderful what a hold Miss Shaw has upon the little ones and how they love her.

Withdraw no Money.

London, Dec. 21.—Public attention here is almost entirely diverted from the political to the financial aspect of the Venezuelan situation. A rumor circulated in this city that the Rothschilds had deeided to immediately withdraw £5,000,000 ($25,000,000) from America attracted attention.

The Rothchilds informed the Associated Press today that this report, as well as the report of the collapse of negotiations for a United States loan were utterly untrue; that no negotiations were pending regarding a loan, and that no withdrawals from the United States had been ordered on account of the Rothchilds. Leading banking houses generally regarded the situation as more favorable.

Mrs. E. Serb

Gives a chance for a fine set of Dicken's works and other presents with each purchase at her store of dry and fancy goods, candies etc., corner Calais and Fairview streets, Lorin

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WILL PROTECT THE GOLD RESERVE.

A Statement That England Has Heretofore Accepted the Monroe Doctrine.

Special dispatches to the GAZETTE.

Capital Supports Cleveland.

New York, Dec. 21.—Early cablegrams from London to-day were of a nature to reassure operators on Wall street, who, in some instances, anticipated a repetition of the slum prices witnessed yesterday. The heaviest decline noted on the London Stock Exchange was only 1 3-8 per cent as compared with the extreme break of 5 per cent reported yesterday. The opening of the local market, however, was even wilder than that of yesterday, declines extending ⅝ to ⅞ per cent being reported. The strain was very heavy for both accounts. Leading foreign representative houses reiterate the opinion that gold will now be steadily shipped to Europe.

There is renewed talk of action by a meeting of bankers to sustain the Treasury gold reserve.

Did England Accept It?

Terre Haute, Dec. 21—Ex-Secretary of the Navy Richard W. Thompson says it is his impression, gained while he was preparing his argument on the Monroe doctrine in the Panama Canal case, before a Senate Committee in 1881, that there is in the State Department at Washington a formal assent by England to the Monroe doctrine. At the time the doctrine was promulgated by President Monroe, England was hostile to Spain, against whose efforts to extend her possession in the Western Hemisphere the doctrine was directed. There was public approval of the message in England but Colonel Thompson thinks there was also formal assent, which is much more important now. The Colonel has written to Senator Voorhees apprising him of his impression.

Spanish Opinion.

New York, Dec. 21.—A special to the Herald from Havana says: La Discussion has received a dispatch from Madrid giving the opinions of Spanish military engineers of high rank on the possibility of war between the United States and Great Britain over the Venezuelan boundary question. One officer, high in the Engineering Department of Spain's army, Colonel Genero Alos, is quoted as saying that England was treading on dangerous ground. If she should press the Venezuelan affair to a climax she would soon recognize the fact that there was in reality only one America, and that in a crisis such as the present one every republic on the continent, from the pigmy San Salvador to the giant Brazil would coalesce as if by magic and follow the United States in battle to preserve and defend the integrity of their territory against European aggression. It was to be doubted whether England could count upon assistance from other European states.

Suffocated by Smoke.

Philadelphia, Dec, 21.—Andrew Johnson, aged 30, and his three children, were suffocated by fire today at 21 Parhamstreet. The wife is not expected to live.

Brazil's Congratulations.

New York, Dec. 21.—A dispatch to the Herald from Rio de Janeiro gives details of the debate in the Brazilian Senate, when, in the midst of distinct enthusiasm, a cable message of congratulation was dispatched to the Senate of the United States for the message of the President upon the Venezuelan question. The congratulatory cable characterized President Cleveland's position as supremely dignified and as a new safeguard of the honor and sovereignty af all American nations.

Senator Bocaquera, in the course of the debate, said that the words of the President of the United States were worthy the chief representative of so great a republic.

Fancy rockers and chairs. them at H. Schellhaas, Eleventh Oakland.

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NO ADJOURNMENT.

As outlined in these columns several days ago Congress will not adjourn for the holidays but will continue in session. Matters in reference to the Venezuelan question have assumed such a serious aspect that an adjournment is not to be thought of at this time. This was decided upon yesterday after the President's message had been received, and after the Senate had passed the resolution which had originated in the House a couple of days ago, giving the President authority to appoint a commission to investigate the boundary line between British Guinea and Venezuela. All amendments to the resolution had been withdrawn and it passed as it came from the House without one dissenting vote, which shows that Congress does not believe that the message of the President on the Venezuelan question was an effort on his part to secure a third term as President. England has refused to arbitrate or to recognize the Monroe doctrine and this country cannot now back down. We must compel England to arbitrate or to fight and from present indications it would seem as if war was inevitable, consequently there is no telling what a day may bring forth and it is necessary that Congress should be in session in order that any emergency matter may be quickly acted upon. It is possible that England may take the appointment of the commission as a declaration of war and if she should it is necessary that every Congressman and Senator be in his seat at Washington to set the wheels of war in motion.

A GENEROUS CITIZEN.

As will be seen by perusing the proceedings of the Board of Trustees, and especially that portion in which President Richards refers to the electric lighting of the University grounds, one cannot help but admire the generous offer of our fellow townman Frank M. Wilson. In order to properly light the University grounds it will take about $1,000 for poles and wires, and this amount of money the Board of Regents have not got. It was thought that the Board of Trustees could appropriate that amount, but it was found that they were not allowed to do so. The suggestion was then made that the amount be raised by popular subscriptions, as the lighting of the University grounds at night would be a great advertisement for Berkeley, as well as a pleasure to the people. As soon as this was ascertained by Mr. Wilson he at once subscribed $500 to the fund, providing the people would subscribe the balance. There is no reason why the other $500 cannot be raised, without any trouble. Trustee Martin offered to start the list last evening with $10 and there are many other citizens who would give an equal amount. It will only take 100 people who will subscribe $5 each to make up the required sum and we surely have that number of people who will take that much interest in Berkeley and our great University.

There should be no delay in the carrying around of the subscription list because if the work is to be done at all it should be done at once.

Superintendent McLaren of the Golden Gate Park has offered his services free of charge in laying out the University grounds for flowers, shrubs and trees and will also furnish the plants. These grounds are very extensive and when they are properly laid out by such a landscape gardener as Mr. McLaren thousands of people will visit Berkeley in order to admire the grounds and buildings and breath the health giving air of Berkeley. It will be a second Golden Gate Park and will be of the greatest advantage to Berkeley, for it will bring hundreds of home seekers here, for everybody is desirous of having a home near beautiful surroundings and in no place in the State will such an opportunity be presented as in Berkeley. The beautifying and lighting of the University grounds means much more to Berkeley than most people imagine. It means that after the handsome new entrance is completed, that the Railroad Company will wake up and build a handsome depot in place of the little cabin that now does duty as a depot. It means that handsome residences will be erected in all parts of Berkeley and that large business blocks will be erected to accommodate live business men who will come here. In a short time it will not be necessary for our people to go to Oakland or San Francisco for anything that they want for there will be stores of all kinds in Berkeley with goods in endless variety, which will be sold as reasonable as any other place in the State, so hurry up the subscription list and raise the $500. It can be done without any trouble.

BEAUTIFUL BERKELEY.

Our beautiful city is now upon the verge of one of the most prosperous years ever known in its history. It is only about eighteen years since Berkeley set up for herself and commenced housekeeping, and ever since that time it has been forging ahead. Not at such a pace as it should have done however but sufficiently fast to show the other towns of the State that in Berkeley they would soon have a dangerous rival and that time has now come. We have at the present time about 130 miles of paved streets and sidewalks We have two lines of electric cars running into East Berkeley from Oakland and one steam line, a horsecar line connecting East and West Berkeley and a steam line connecting West Berkeley with the ferries for San Francisco. We have also a freight boat, the steamer Hope, plying between this city and San Francisco, but it is greatly handicapped by the fact that there is no suitable wharf at West Berkeley at which it can land at low tide. This, however, we believe will soon be overcome, for about the first of February an election will be held to decide whether the people will vote for bonds in the sum of $80,000 to be used in building a wharf a mile and three quarters out into the bay, with the necessary slips, coal bunkers, scales, etc. to induce vessels to land here.

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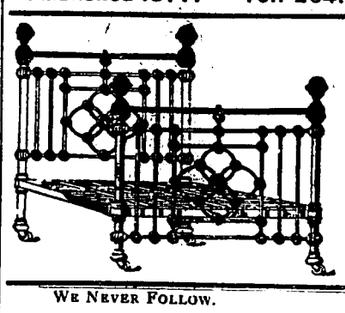

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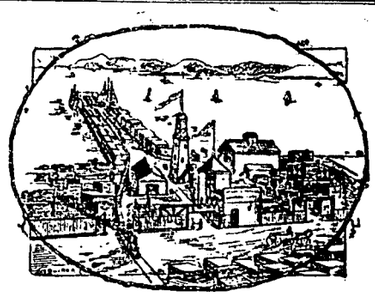

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ORDINANCE NO. 37A.

Determining that the public interest and necessity demand the acquisition, construction and equipment of certain public improvements, to wit: of a wooden wharf, thirty (30) feet wide and extending one and one quarter nautical miles into the Bay of San Francisco, and of certain public school buildings, the cost of which wharf and the cost of which school buildings will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said Town of Berkeley.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Town of Berkeley as follows to-wit:

SECTION 1. Whereas the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berkeley deem that the public interest and the public necessity demand that there be acquired and constructed in and for said Town of Berkeley, certain permanent public improvements, viz;

That there be acquired, constructed and equipped, a wooden wharf, thirty (30) feet wide, extending one and one-quarter (1¼) nautical miles into the Bay of San Francisco, and also that there be acquired, constructed and equipped certain public school buildings, namely the following named school buildings:

One Sixteen (16) room High School Building on a suitable site in Berkeley.

One (1) two (2) room school building on a suitable site in North Berkeley, East of Shattuck avenue.

One (1) six (6) room school building on the school lot, on Dwight way, in Berkeley.

One (1) eight (8) room school building on the school lot on San Pablo avenue in Berkeley.

And whereas, the said Board of Trustees has had made proper plans and estimates of the cost of making each and all of the said above named public improvements by a competent engineer and a competent architect, each of whom has had sucessful experience in such work, which said plans and estimates have been returned and reported to said Board, and have been filed with and examined by the said Board and whereas it appears from such esitmates that said public improvements will cost as follows, to wit:

First $80,000, to construct and equip said wharf.

Second. $120,000 to acquire, construct and equip said public schools, including the purchase of the necessary sites upon which to erect the same.

Said $120,000 is and will be apportioned as follows:

$80,000 for said High School building, that is to say: $10,000 for the necessary site, $65,000 to construct and $5000 to furnish the same.

$40,000 for the said school buildings, other than said High school; that is to say:

(a) $8,000 for the site necessary for the said two (2) room school building in North Berkeley, east of Shattuck avenue; $3500 to construct and $500 to furnish the same.

(b) $10,500 to construct said six (6) room school building on Dwight way, and $1500 to furnish the same.

(c) $14,000 to construct said eight (8) room school building on San Pablo avenue, and $2000 to furnish the same.

Section 2. Wherefore the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berkeley does hereby by this ordinance determine that the public interest and the public necessity demand the acquisition and construction of said permanent improvements in and for the Town of Berkeley to-wit:

First. That there be acquired, constructed and equipped a wooden wharf, thirty (30) feet wide and extending one and one quarter (1¼) nautical miles in the Bay of San Francisco, at a cost of $80,000, in gold coin of the United States.

Second. That there be acquired, constructed and equipped four (4) public school buildings to-wit:

One 16 room High school building on a suitable site in Berkeley.

One 8room school building on a suitable site in North Berkeley, east of Shattuck avenue.

One 6room school building on the school lot on Dwight way, in Berkeley.

One 8 room school building on the school lot on San Pablo avenue, in Berkeley; all at a cost of $120,000, in gold coin of the United States. The cost of the said several public school buildings to be apportioned and divided as set forth in this ordinance.

Section 3. That the said estimated cost for said wharf, and the said estimated cost for said four (4) schools and each of them, is in each case too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said Town of Berkeley.

Section 4. This ordinance is hereby ordered to be printed and published with the ayes and noes for two (2) days, prior to its final passage in the Berkeley GAZETTE, a newspaper printed and published in the Town of Berkeley, and that after its final passage that it be published and printed for two (2) successive weeks in the said Berkeley GAZETTE.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its final passage.

Adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the town of Berkeley held the 22d day of November, 1895, and ordered printed and published as above, by the following vote.

Ayes, Trustees Gage, Jones Cripps, Martin, Durrell, Hoff and President Richards.
Noes, None.
Absent None.
Attest: M. L. HANSCOM, Town Clerk.

Finally adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berkeley, held on the 6th day of December 1895, by the following vote:

Ayes, Trustees Gage, Jones, Cripps, Durrell, Hoff and President, Richards.
Noes, None.
Absent, Trustee Martin
Attest: M. L. HANSCOM, Town Clerk.

Approved this 6th day of December 1895.
J. W. RICHARDS,
President of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Berkeley.
Dec. 6 2w

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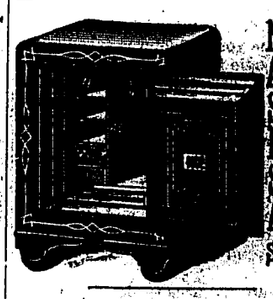

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Madame Kohne, midwife and ladies' nurse, has removed from 1919 Fifth street, to Eighth street, between University avenue and Addison street.

Little Johnny Horner
Was passing the corner,
He was looking very sad.
He had his photo taken
And immediately was glad.

Wilcox PHOTO. COMPANY
Berkeley Station 130

AN URN AND A NICHE.

FACTS ABOUT CREMATION FURNISHED BY A CREMATORY AGENT.

Economy and Cleanliness Among Its Claims. Ashes May Be Left In the Crematory, but Often Mourners Carry Them Away and Keep Them Always Near.

"Cremation this afternoon at 2." These words are lettered on a small sign that swings in a shop window on Houston street, where several curious urns are displayed. This is the New York office of a suburban cemetery, where are cremated the bodies of those who prefer that their remains shall be consumed by flame rather than to let nature take its course in a coffin six feet under the sod.

A World reporter dropped into the office and had a talk with the young man in charge. It was too late on that afternoon to witness a cremation, but ordinarily the crematory people are glad to have spectators when the interesting process is going on.

Economy is always considered by most people, and cremation is cheap. It is also clean, and what is cleaner for a last resting place than a white metal vase?

"You know how much you would have to pay for a plot at Greenwood?" said the young man. "At our crematory $25 will buy a niche in which you may place an urn large enough to hold the ashes of an entire family."

There is something sentimental in the ashes of "two souls with but a single thought" being put together. There are no rules against buying a row of niches. This, however, is more expensive, and the line of names on the separate urns suggests the search for a name on the bells of a flathouse. Yet there are often as many as 12 niches bought in a row. Each niche is decorated by the cremation company every Memorial day. It is on this occasion that the crematory has its greatest number of visitors.

When the young man was asked what class of people favored cremation, he replied: "No particular class of people. In New York the Germans perhaps are the most numerous advocates of it. It appeals alike to the poor and the wealthy. The cost to cremate an adult is $35 and $25 for a child. An urn large enough to contain the ashes of one person can be bought for $6, and this, with the price of a niche, does not bring cremation beyond the reach of the poor man.

"What are the urns made of? Mostly of bronze and white metal. Here is a beauty of serpentine stone." The "beauty" was only 20 inches high, but it cost $45. There are about a dozen different designs in urns.

Often a dead person's relatives may desire to keep the ashes in a parlor vase The young man was asked if all the ashes of those cremated were kept at the cemetery. "Just about one-half are," he answered. "Some are taken away and placed in safety vaults, and some are always kept near the person who most loved the deceased in life. I know of one lady who always carries the ashes of her husband wherever she goes. They have been to Europe and back several times, and have had many trips to the seashore and mountains.

"No one but myself ever handles the ashes after they leave the fireman. They are sent to me from there, and I seal each jar and keep them here until they are sent for or until I have too many on hand. In that case I notify the relatives. If they want them transferred to an urn, I do it by means of this great glass funnel. Do they all pass through the same funnel? Of course. What's the difference? I clean it after each separate lot of ashes."

He then went over to the big office safe, and, fixing the combination look, opened the iron door. There was exposed a row of black jars about the size of ordinary tomato cans. Each jar was sealed with black wax and tape, and pasted on the front was a label. The young man took out one of the jars and set it on the hand of a woman who wore a number five glove. She held it easily and read the label. Inside of the jar was all that remained of a large sized man who had been cremated three weeks before.—New York World.

Argentine Woods.

The woods peculiar to the Argentine Republic are, as a rule, not only distinguished for their positive colors, but some of them are also said to be of a hardness capable of resisting the keenest tools and of withstanding fire in a remarkable degree. The algarrobo is described as white, red, gray, black and violet; the quebracho is deep red and pure white; the cedar is bright red; the cibil is white, red and black; the gayaibi is white, gray and black; the laurel is white, black and yellow; the tipa is white, red and yellow; the palo amarilla is bright yellow, as is also the palo moro; the viraro is dark brown; the calden is bright red; the tatane is golden yellow; the pacara is dark red; the molle is black brown; the lapacho is green, gray and black; the guayabo is deep red, veined with black and yellow; the palo ribera is dark cinnamon, with red veins; the guayacan is black and almost indestructible.—New York Sun.

Old Marriage Ceremony.

Polynesia is probably the only place in the world where the marriage feast takes place without the presence of the bridegroom. For some unexplained reason the young man is "sent into the bush" when negotiations are opened with the family of his bride, and he remains there during the subsequent festivities. It is only when the guests have departed and the girl is left alone with his parents that messengers are dispatched for him.

Meekness is imperfect if it be not both active and passive, leading us to subdue our own passions and resentments, as well as to bear patiently the passions and resentments of others.—Fenelon.

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For the half year ending with the 31st of December, 1895, a dividend has been declared at the rate per annum of four and thirty-two one hundredths (4 32-100) per cent on term deposits, and three and six-tenths (3 6-10) per cent on ordinary deposits, free of taxes; payable on and after Thursday, the 2nd of January, 1896.

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THE MARRIAGE TIE.

Men and Women Not to Be Judged by the Same Standard.

Whether it is that we are poorer, or that we are more luxurious and exacting in our tastes, and that the girls of today require more in their marriage than the ordinary Englishman can afford, I cannot say, but unless girls have great beauty or large fortunes we hear much more of the difficulty of their marrying. Among the mass of women, however, there is no revulsion from the marriage tie, and all healthy minded girls and women seem to be just as much interested in the question as were their grandmothers. The one great fact that has kept English society is the inviolability of the marriage tie. Infidelity in a married woman is surely reason enough to justify her husband in getting rid of her, and the woman who clamors for divorce on the same grounds as men is surely lowering the standard of female purity in a ruthless way. Is man, with his stronger, coarser, more animal nature, to be judged by the same standard of chastity as a woman, with her higher ideals of life, her purer nature, and the exemption from temptation which she enjoys?

If we think for a moment of the temptation to which men are exposed from their very early youth, and which they undoubtedly combat very unsuccessfully, and which attacks them at a time when they are most prone to succumb—in the period of youth, vigor and ignorance—and contrast their position with that of women, we must surely feel that we are degrading our sex when we ask for a corresponding code of morality, or even suggest that women are to be tried by no higher standard than that to which men strive to attain.

We are told that no union can survive the conjugal customs and intimacy of English married life. Perhaps the new woman thinks so because in her ephemeral passion no feeling of constancy, affection or gratitude is possible. We believe that the overwhelming majority of old fashioned English women regard that intimacy as one of the purest and sweetest ever devised—one which, when the passion and desire of youth fade away, blossoms into a friendship, a companionship as constant as it is holy, without which their lives would indeed be barren.—Lady Jeune in Saturday Review.

Safer Than Lightning Rods.

Each day adds some new virtues to the long list of those already credited to the pneumatic tire. The latest of these is that the wheels of a bicycle being encircled by a band of india rubber and dry air, which is a perfect insulator, the rider is completely insulated from the earth and consequently is impervious to the attacks of the electric fluid.

Any one who suffers from nervousness during a thunderstorm has now only to go into the dining room or the cellar and seat himself upon the saddle of a pneumatic tire bicycle to be perfectly safe from lightning stroke. As the chances of a man on a bicycle being struck by lightning have been carefully calculated to be about one in a billion, there will, of course, be some pessimists who will deny that this newly discovered virtue of the pneumatic tire amounts to very much. — Pearson's Weekly.

Anxious to Comply.

Professor (to student)—You should have written on this subject, sir, so that the most ignorant of your audience could understand all that you have to say on the subject.

Student—What part of my production is not clear to you, sir?—Boston Commercial Bulletin.

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A blind young girl, gifted test and business medium, answers questions and can be consulted on all affairs. Sittings daily, 50 cents. 1613 Sixth street, near Holyoke street, West Berkeley. 139

Now is the time to buy your cloaks capes and suitst By purchasing $15 worth of goods at our establishment we will present you, free of charge, with an order for one-half dozen Haussler's photographs. PalaceCloak Co., 1009 and 1011 Washington street, between 10th and 11th streets, Oakland. 146

Turkeys and cider at D. & D. Co., East Berkeley. 12

There is one thing in this world that in order to give satisfaction has got to be perfect, and that is a photograph. Naturally the artist who is thorough in his business and produces perfect pictures gets the trade. This accounts for the immense business done by Evans, the photographer at 1065 Washington street. He takes the finest cabinets in the land for $3 per dozen and has a large Berkeley patronage. 102

Get your watches, clocks and jewelry repaired at R. A. Curry's 2124 Center street, Berkeley. Diamonds, watches, silverware, clocks, jewelry of all kinds on hand. Work guaranteed. 152.

For Sale.

Ten acres of choice vegetable or fruit land, near the town of San Pablo, Contra Costa county, on main road to depot. Fine location. Most desirable land in the market. For particulars, or to see the property, call on Paine and Dickieson, 805 University avenue, between 5th and 6th streets, West Berkeley. 173 1m

Wanted—Cost buyers for all kinds of household goods; parlor and bedroom furniture at very low prices. Our aim is to reduce our immense stock in store. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh street, Oakland. 18-tf

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Cedar Street. Sidewalk.

Notice Inviting Street Work Proposals

PURSUANT TO STATUTE AND TO RESOlution number 61 A adopted Dec. 6, 1895, by the Board of Trustees of the town of Berkeley, directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the Town Hall, up to 7:45 o'clock, P. M., of the 3d day of Jan., A. D., 1896, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work, to be done according to the specifications posted and on file therefor, to wit:

That the southerly side of Cedar street in said town from the westerly sidewalk line of Grant street to the westerly sidewalk line of Louisa street be sidewalked with a four foot wooden sidewalk, and that three-foot wooden crosswalks be constructed as follows: One each across Edith street, Grant street and Grove street.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees of this town, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than 10 per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or by a bond for the said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath in double the said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions and must express their prices both in figures and words.

Clerk's Office, Town of Berkeley, Dec. 16, 1895.

M. L. HANSCOM.

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Go to the L. A. Green Photo Co., 439 San Pablo avenue, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, where you can get one-half dozen cabinets for $1, two Paris panels for $1, eight mantillos for $1, one dozen diamonds for $1, one and one-half dozen minnetts for $1. All work guaranteed to be true in likeness and in every way satisfactory. Copying and enlarging views and interiors. The largest and most complete ground floor studio in Oakland. Don't fail to call and examine the work. 32 1m

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Commencing December 1st people who desire Japanese goods of all descriptions can have same at cost by attending the auction sales of S. H. Dong Wing, Bamboo and Rattan Works, 378 Thirteenth street, corner Franklin street, Oakland. 17 1m

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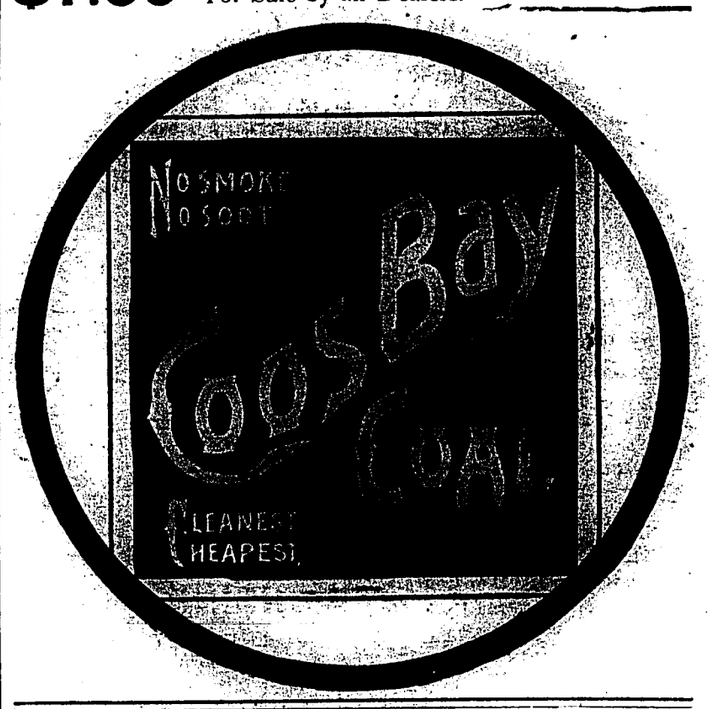

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